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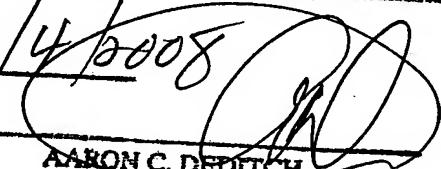
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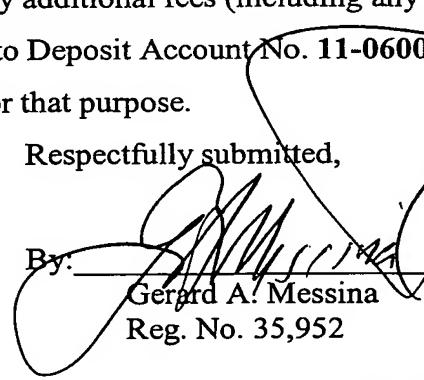
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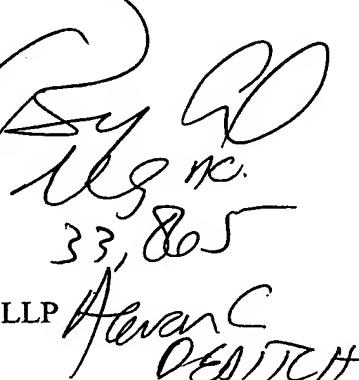
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**RESPONSE**

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 29, 2008 (the three-month response date for which is July 29, 2008), reconsideration of the above-referenced application is respectfully requested in view of the following.

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.